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Fourth Series Savings Bonds Offered The Public

A good many millions of words have been written in the past about the virtues of thrift and saving generally. Some of them have been extremely persuasive and occasionally the writer has depicted his theme with a freshness and vigor calculated to fire the dull imagination.

But there is another aspect to the question that is not obvious; it may well be unappreciated if not overlooked entirely. It is the thought that civilization today would know practically none of the amenities it now takes for granted unless someone, somewhere had first saved money.

The kind of saving that has led to the development of our natural resources and the building of our highly industrialized nation began back in the days of the earliest settler. Our forefathers husbanded their incomes and invested their savings in the development of the land around them. In the businesses they were building up to serve others and, in the final analysis, in the general economic development of their country.

Life is more complex today than it was then. There are more demands on our income, for one thing, and we have become accustomed to a standard of living which in these days would have appeared luxurious. But the things that have been going on in the matter for us to have gone a long way toward compensating for this.

Canada Savings Bonds are an outstanding example of what has been done to make it easier to save. This year's Fourth Series of these bonds is being offered to the public. To date, Canadians have made more than three million purchases of Canada Savings Bonds, representing a total value of more than a billion dollars. This year, as in the past, hundreds of thousands of us will again testify to their convenience and to the soundness of the investment they represent.

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IRRIGATION INVESTIGATIONS

Duty of water is an irrigation term that is legally defined in the Water Rights Act as the quantity of water that is required to irrigate an acre of land in each irrigating season, May 1st to October 1st. This is further defined as 15 acre feet or enough water to cover one acre 15 inches deep, delivered at the farm head gate.

At one time the legal duty of water was equal to 200 acre feet of water per season or enough water to cover each acre of land 34 inches deep. However, investigations have shown that this was more water than could be beneficially used and in 1910 the legal duty was changed to 15 inches per acre. Water rights issued prior to 1910 are based on the old duty and those issued since that date are based on 15 inches.

Experience over the years indicate that the amount of water used on the different projects varies widely depending mainly on climate, soil type, and the crops grown, and in view of the expansion in irrigation for agricultural purposes, the duty of water, or what is now frequently referred to as the consumptive use of water, is a matter of considerable consequence.

Data on the consumptive use of water, to use the more modern term, is so important in the case of existing projects, because climate for one thing varies considerably more than was evidently realized in the large scale irrigation which was started on the Canadian prairies some fifty years ago.

The need this year some extensive investigations are now being made by the Dominion Experimental Station. The primary object of this work is to determine the consumptive use of water under varying climatic and soil conditions and the project includes the establishment of water plots and a meteorological survey of existing projects and areas where irrigation developments are proposed.

In addition to measuring the consumptive use of water for the guidance of the engineer in designing, installation and the information to



COLLABORATORS
minion, 6.30 p.m. (Sundays) Cable as Howard Cable and Dr. Leslie Bell as choir leader, of Toronto collaborate in the weekly The Leslie Bell Singers began eleven years program The Leslie Bell Singers (Sundays) as an alumnae girls' chorus.

be obtained from these studies should be helpful to the water user. Many irrigation farmers have through experience worked out successful methods of irrigation. Nevertheless, there are problems such as over irrigation and the maintenance of organic matter at the high level needed for maximum production and high quality under irrigation. These studies will provide means of applying a yardstick to the various factors such as moisture and fertility in order that the best methods of production may be worked out for the benefit of water users on existing projects and on new projects that are being developed.

Fire Prevention

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The busiest man in town during the past week was A. Horn, the town's secretary-treasurer. Tax money rolled into the town office. The taxpayer's idea was to beat the deadline and save five per cent.

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The Ottawa Letter

(By F. W. GERSHAW)
A few days ago Mr. the members of the cabinet had decided to fix up the Edwards house as it was built at the time when very large houses were considered to be an indication of the possessing

of great wealth. The Edwards family have been engaged in the lumber business on the Ottawa River for several generations and were very wealthy.

The leaders of the three opposition parties strongly supported Mr. Ho's proposal. Mr. Drew pointed out that such a residence was badly needed so that the Prime Minister could properly entertain the notable people who came to Ottawa. Mr. Coldwell was in favor and added that it was in favor of providing homes for the homeless of Canada. Mr. Low was also favorable. No voice was raised against the proposal in the Commons.

When the idea reached the senate some sober second thoughts were expressed. It was pointed out that the Prime Minister should not be expected to spend time on entertaining. A leader must give serious consideration to many policies and must keep closely in touch with external as well as domestic affairs. The Prime Minister's salary is not large and he could not afford to keep up the staff and expenditure of such a large place. It was also mentioned that Riddell Hall the home of the Governor General was the place where such entertaining should be done.

In all kindness it was mentioned that the wife of the Prime Minister should not be expected to assume the responsibility which would come to her if she and her husband lived in such a large house. The expense involved also in these days of high taxation was a factor.

The architects will go over the building and it seems likely that a smaller house will be provided with in the next two or three years.

Private individuals have suggested that they should collect enough money by private subscription to build a house but this did not meet with any support.

Town & District

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Farm Incomes Increase

PRICES AND INCOMES HAVE RISEN steadily in Canada during the past few years and the cost of living index has reached record heights. To a large extent these mounting figures have been the result of shortages created during the war when scarcity of labor and materials prevented the production of normal quantities of civilian requirements. Since the war many of these shortages have disappeared, but there has been a sustained demand for the output of our farms and factories. While high prices are not looked upon with favor by consumers, it is considered that the period since the war has been the most prosperous one in Canada's history.

Drop Noted In Two Provinces

Farm prices have risen in company with those of other products and farm incomes have increased greatly in the last ten years. Recent figures issued by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics show that during the first half of 1949 the cash incomes of Canadian farmers totalled \$1,056,500,000. In 1940, the cash income from the sale of farm products in Canada was \$766,000,000, for the entire twelve months. For the first six months of 1949, increases in farm income were noted in all provinces but New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island where there were slight drops due to a decrease in the value of potatoes. No figures were given for Newfoundland. Higher prices for calves and cattle resulted the general level of farm incomes, sales from livestock amounting to \$347,000,000.

Large Sum Paid By Wheat Board

It has been reported that the Wheat Board has paid out \$4,000,000 for wheat delivered to the board since 1945. In addition, prairie farmers received \$9,000,000 under the Prairie Farm Assistance Act which provides cash payments up to \$500 to farmers in districts where the yield of wheat is eight bushels per acre or less. Rises in farm income were recorded for all the prairie provinces. In Saskatchewan there was an increase from \$165,167,000 to \$220,892,000. Manitoba farmers made \$93,488,000, as compared with \$74,943,000 in the first half of 1948, while in Alberta there was an increase from \$165,719,000 to \$207,249,000. There have been times in the past when cash income on the farms has been at very low levels and when for the very important work they have been small. It has been shown that farmers, as a class, make wise use of their increased earnings in paying off debts and improving their holdings, and it is to be hoped that the price of farm products will continue to remain at levels in keeping with the general trend of business as a whole.

Says Modern Farming Most Hazardous Job On Continent

(By DOUGLAS GREEN, C.P.)

REGINA—Ever feel like trading that city job for a little farm home in the beautiful prairie west? If so, consider this: Modern farming is one of the most hazardous occupations on the continent. It's always been more or less dangerous. A farmer is liable to be kicked by a startled horse, or to be gored by his bull, or injured in a fall from a stairway, through a trapdoor or from a hay-loft.

But the widespread use of machinery is a development, particularly marked in the prairie west—has added mechanical to animal and natural dangers.

Saskatchewan, Canada's greatest wheat-growing province, offers an example. It has 120,000 farmers. They own approximately \$5,000 tractors and 40,000 combines.

This means that two of every three farms has a tractor, and one farm in every three either owns or has access to a combine. In the United States, tractor accidents make up 28 per cent. of the farm machinery mishaps; it's common for owners to sprain or break their wrists or arms while cranking tractors.

In the U.S., combines and threshing machines account for about one-third as many accidents as tractors, and it is a fair assumption that these accidents are no less frequent in Canada.

Up-to-date figures are difficult to obtain. But during the harvesting season, such accidents in Alberta, Saskatchewan and Manitoba are reported almost daily.

The Dominion Bureau of statistics, at the request of the federal department of agriculture, prepared a summary which showed that in the sample period June 1946-47, fires and accidents accounted for 1.6 per cent. of the total loss.

costs cost farmers more than 1,000,000 man-days.

In the period under review, about 37,000 persons suffered accidents, more than one third of them severe enough to cause lay-offs of from two to three weeks and 45 per cent. necessitating absence of from three to 10 days.

The bureau found that accidents had permanently incapacitated 400 farm operators and partially disabled 2,100 persons for life. Still want to farm? Then, says the statistics bureau, go to Quebec. It's relatively the safest province.

The prairies, with about one-third of Canada's farming population, account for about 60 per cent. of the accidents, due to the greater mechanization of agriculture in the west and the consequent added risk involved in working with tractors and combine farm machinery.

B.C. Prospecting Well Maintained

VICTORIA—Prospecting in British Columbia this year has been well maintained, department of mines officials stated there being 1,663 claims staked in the province for the first seven months, the total for the previous year for the comparative period was 1,636.

Class Eastern Apples As "Appetizers"

OTTAWA—Members of the Commons entered the chamber recently to find Red McIntosh apples on their desks.

George Fulford (L-Leeds) said the apples had been given him before he left Brockville, Ont. He hoped they would prove that Eastern Ontario apples can stand up with apples from anywhere.

George Crankshaw (L-Bruce Valley), who never loses an opportunity to boost British Columbia fruits, rose with two apples in his hand, a large one and a small one. He said he was thankful for the Ontario apple which could be eaten in anticipation of the larger apples from British Columbia.

To Feel Right — Eat Right

More Attention In Young People's Work At Fairs Is Urged

LETHBRIDGE, Alta.—S. C. Heckbert of Vermilion, Alta., president of the Western Canada Fairs association, told a recent conference of 28 class fair managers that the group should take a more active interest in young people's work.

"Young people's work is an integral part of fairs," Mr. Heckbert said. "To keep young people interested in farm work, we should take more interest in them and give them greater opportunities to display their handwork."

ELECTRIC FENCE

Weeds allowed to grow up under an electric fence to touch the wire will ground the fence and reduce its effectiveness.

A Biscuit Meat Roll that's Budget Wise

Delicious...made with MAGIC

Mix and lift into bowl, 2 c. sifted pastry flour (or 1 1/2 c. sifted hard-sifted flour), 4 tsp. Magic Baking Powder, 1/4 tsp. salt in fine 2/3, the shortening. Make a well in centre, pour in 1/2 c. milk and mix lightly with a fork. Roll out on floured cloth rectangle, 35" wide, 18" high. Mix minced lean beef with 1 tsp. salt, 1/4 tsp. pepper, 1 finely-chopped small onion. Spread meat mixture over biscuit dough to within 1/2" of edge; beginning at one end, roll up like a jelly roll. Place in greased loaf pan (15" x 8 1/2" x 4"). Bake in moderately hot oven, 375° about 1 hour serve with heated salad sauce or brown gravy. Yield—4 or 5 servings.

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Rubber Company To Build Warehouses In Western Canada

CALGARY—Firestone Tire & Rubber Co. of Canada, Hamilton, Ont., will build widely in the West, Vice-president T. M. Mayberry announced here.

New warehouses are to be built in Regina and Vancouver. In Edmonton, an addition to warehouse and office is planned to start next spring. Main factors in Western Canada of Firestone, according to company officials, are: (a) growth of population and highway traffic, and (b) increased farm mechanization.

Color Changed For New License Plates

NEW WESTMINSTER—Vehicle license plates in 1950 will be the reverse of those in use in B.C. this year, it was reported.

Orders for some 162,000 passenger plates and 58,000 commercial plates are being filled in Oakalla, B.C. shops with yellow lettering on black.

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FUNNY And OTHERWISE

Fortune Teller: "You'll be a victim of much unhappiness and poverty until you are 50."

"And then?"

"After that you won't notice it."

"But I thought I wired you not to bring your mother home with you," said the husband.

"Yes," replied his wife. "That's what she's come to see you about."

Husband: "Are you ready yet, dear?"

Wife: "Honey, I wish you would stop nagging me. I told you an hour ago I'd be ready in a few minutes."

Owner of Midget Car: I want a half a pint of gasoline and a teaspoonful of oil, please.

Garage Mechanic: And shall I cough into the tires, sir?

A railway company advertised for sleepers. Among the replies was one from a minister. He stated, "I have 300 in my church. You are welcome to them."

The woman lion tamer had the animal under perfect control. At her summons the fiercest lion came meekly to her and took a glass of sugar from her mouth. The circus crowd marvelled—all except one man.

"Anybody could do that," he yelled from the audience.

"Would you dare to do it?" the ringmaster asked scornfully.

"Certainly," replied the heckler. "I can do it just as well as the lion can."

Jones: Look at that bunch of cows!

Smith: Not bunch, herd.

Jeff: Heard what?

Smith: Herd of cows.

John: Sure, I've heard of cows! Smith, I mean a cow herd.

Jones: What do I care if a cow heard? I didn't say anything I shouldn't have.

One of the boys went into a neighborhood store the other day and saw a strange woman waving her hand at him. He went on to the next customer at the other end of the store.

"Is that your wife?" he asked the proprietor.

"You don't think I'd hire a clerk that honestly to you?"

Politely turned down the cake offerer.

"Why don't you eat it?" he asked.

"I have to watch my figure," she smiled.

"Aw go ahead and eat it," he smiled back. "I'll watch your figure."

PROTECTING BEAVER

THE P.A.S. Man—To prevent an animal disease from spreading from Ontario into Manitoba's rich beaver-mountain country, provincial game officials have ordered a five-mile strip along the provincial border to be trapped clear of beaver. Registered trapper owners are asked to trap heavily to prevent migration of infected animals westward.

About 275 B.C. the Chinese emperor Shen Nung wrote a book on pharmacy. 2800

Manitoba's Big Game Hunting Starts Nov. 28

WINNIPEG—Sunrise Monday, Nov. 28, will mark the opening of the hunting season for big game in Manitoba and it will close at sunset Dec. 8. Hon. J. S. McDiarmid, minister of mines and natural resources, announced.

Deer hunting will be open in all parts of the province with the exception of the big game sanctuaries. The season on moose will open only in that part of the province north of the 53rd parallel.

Barren ground caribou is closed for sport in all parts of the province, but bona fide residents in remote northern areas may apply for special licences to hunt and kill one animal of either sex over the age of one year from Dec. 1 to Dec. 31, inclusive.

There will be no open season on elk and woodland caribou in any part of the province.

It is illegal to shoot any big game animal under the age of one year, or any female big game animal except barren ground caribou. A male animal under the age of one year is defined as an animal having horns less than three inches long. Mr. McDiarmid said.

Bear limits for big game hunting are:

Deer: one male Virginia (white tailed) or male (tanner).

Moose: one male animal.

The holder of a moose license is entitled to take one deer if he fails to take a moose.

MUCH FREIGHT

The harbor of Buffalo handles more than 16,000,000 tons of water-borne freight annually, although it is frozen four or five months of the year.

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FORT WALSH

The great western march of the North West Mounted Police really ended late in fall of 1884 when they reached the foot hills of the Rockies. Preparing for winter, Fort McLeod was built. Shelter was first erected for the horses and then for the officers and men. The I. G. Baker Store was then under construction.

Colonel McLeod realized that the region of Cypress Hills was a constant danger spot as in the spring of 1879 Inspector Walsh was detailed to lead B company to the locality and to establish Fort Walsh. The great work of the mounted police was to introduce law and order in a lone land where crime for ages had gone unpunished. The Cypress Hills area was the gathering place for hostile Indian tribes. It was close to the boundary line so whisky traders and other undesirable characters came to exploit, rob and often murder the primitive people. Inspector Walsh was an active and courageous officer and during his stay at the fort he had many dangers and emergencies to deal with.

After the Custer massacre across the border about 4,000 warlike Sioux Indians moved across to the Canadian side under the famous Chief Sitting Bull and the sub chiefs Sweet Bird and Spotted Eagle. The pres-

ence of the Sioux was a constant source of trouble. There were other dangers as well and this marvellous chapter of history tells how a handful of the "Riders of the Plains" with endless patience and unflinching courage kept the peace in an area larger than some kingdoms.

The Indian tribes were constantly quarrelling among themselves. They were now well armed and were reckless, restless, roving and improvident people. They learned to respect the men in scarlet and were given just, kindly and humane treatment.

Dr. George Kittson a son of the noted Norman Kittson of Manitoba's fame served as a medical doctor at the Fort from 1876 to 1882. He did good work and sad to say it is reported that he died as a drug addict in the United States later.

Dr. de Volder relieved him in 1882 and did the medical work at McLeod as well.

Fort Walsh was abandoned when the C.P.R. was built through the west but the records of those who made their headquarters there will live forever in the annals of history. Other forts were built but none had the tale of romance that centred around Fort Walsh.

Such is the sketchy record of this old landmark. As the decades went by buildings were burned and others decayed into ruins but fortunately the Department of Justice decided recently to rebuild the ancient structure. Visit the old site today and a replica of the once pioneer structure is seen.

The low buildings are constructed around the four sides of a square. There is a large central area in which are guns, carts and relics of the past. The commissioners house is well designed and contains mounted buffalo heads, horns of various deer, and very good pictures taken of historic sites and buildings. The Fort

is now a remount station for the Royal Canadian Mounted Police and the stables and store houses are of a substantial nature. There is good grass and water in the neighborhood so the district is admirably suited for production of the type of horse required in the service.

Green hills surround the area of which the buildings are the centre. Small shrubs and colorful wild flowers grow in profusion on the sides of the hills. There is not another habitation in sight and when gazing around you get a view of the scenery as it existed long years ago still undisturbed by modern changes.

An ancient cemetery lies by the side trail to the north of the Fort. What a tragic history is there recorded. Those little marble tombstones tell of the young lives that met early death in the first bloom of their noble manhood. There lies the body of Grayburn who was the first of the eastern youths to meet death at the hands of the treacherous Indians. Other young in years died of small pox, typhoid, accidents, etc. There is something so sad and solemn in the very atmosphere of the hallowed spot that none can visit it without emotion.

These young men did not live in vain. They made the west a place of safety. They contributed to the welfare of posterity. They made a great record. They need no sculptured monuments. No canon of stone.

To listen to the curious world. The deeds that they have done. But the prairie flowers blow softly And the scented rosebud tells its wealth of summer beauty Over the Riders of the Plains.

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D. M. MILEAN
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To the farmer, the perfect day is the autumn day that comes with Indian summer. His granaries are full, his animals fat, and the shelves of his cellar are full of good things to eat. The promise of the year has been fulfilled, and nature takes a last bow in a perfect setting of sunshine and painted colors.

So Much To Do. With the crop safely harvested, the long hours of heavy toil have ended for many, and yet, much remains to be done and there seems to be so little time to do it. With the first cold rains of fall there is the sound of hammer and saw as sagging doors are made secure and the siding on the pig pen is made tight against the snows. The manure pile behind the barn is hauled and spread on next year's fallow field. The potatoes and root vegetables are dug and stored, for falling frosts are in the offing. The harvest machinery is greased and painted and placed under cover. The Agricultural Representative calls to teach new methods of culling the farm flock of its leaders and aged hens. Soon the logs and cattle will be brought in, and a time of winter feeding started.

Then, one evening, dark clouds bank against the western horizon and a still wind blows. In the morning the fields are covered with snow. Winter has made its first appearance.

Time to Plan. There will be time to listen to the radio, to enjoy a good book, to attend some agricultural meetings and make plans for another year. Such things to do as ordering supplies of seed, fertilizer and chemicals for weed and insect control. At this point we would like to remind our readers that Line Elevator Agents will once again be assisting the Provincial Crop Improvement Associations in the distribution of Registered and Certified Seed. Your local Line Elevator Agent is ready and willing at all times to encourage the use of pure seed, since he knows that higher yields and better grades are bound to result. After these autumn days, the farmer will have time for thought and leisure, time to enjoy life a little more and plan for the harvest to come.

HERE AND THERE

A Canadian workman in 1949 works half as many hours a week as his grandfather and receives, in terms of purchasing power, five times his grandfather's wages.

Franklin D. Roosevelt appears on so much newsprint that it would take fifteen and one half days to show it all.

The average Canadian uses well over twenty pounds of soap a year. Mostly on Saturday nights.

In Manitoba, in 1947 over 23,000 acres of land were devoted to the commercial growing of sunflowers. Oil from its seed ranks close to olive oil in texture and color; the rest of the plant has many industrial applications.

Every word in Chinese is a single syllable, and one word may have hundreds of different meanings. The tone of voice in which a word is spoken makes all the difference in the world. The simple monosyllabic "shih" may mean history, corpse, army, ten, house, officer, or any number of other things.

There are no old maids in Tibet. Marriages are arranged by family contact, and sometimes a man takes all the daughters of a household as wives.

It would take 31.7 years to count up to a billion at the rate of adding one unit each second and counting 21 hours a day.

The general direction of rat traffic in Canada is east west, as in the United States.

Rat exterminators estimate that there are about 25,000,000 rats in Canada and that each rat causes \$2 worth of damage annually.

Canada's longest river, the Mackenzie, is more than twice the length of the St. Lawrence.

One nylon stocking manufactured in Canada contains on the average of one and a quarter miles of nylon yarn.

The decline in interest rates in Canada in recent years has caused an increase in life insurance premiums. Beaver dams are sometimes fourteen feet high and many thousands of feet in length.

Mount Elbert is the highest peak in the Rocky Mountains.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE ESTATE OF FRANCIS WILLIAM COURTNEY, late of Cluny in the Province of Alberta, Farmer, deceased.
NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having claims upon the estate of the above-named FRANCIS WILLIAM COURTNEY, who died on the 20th day of May, A.D. 1949, are required to file with the undersigned Solicitors, by the 15th day of November, A.D. 1949, a full statement, duly verified of their claims and of any securities held by them, and that after that date the Executor will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which notice has been so filed, and which have been brought to his knowledge.

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